Article 49.

1) The citizens of the Hungarian People's Republic are equal before the law and enjoy equal rights. 642* 641

2) Discrimination of any kind against any citizen on grounds of sex, religion, or nationality is a severely punishable offence.

3) The Hungarian People's Republic ensures to all nationalities living within its borders the possibility of education in their native tongue and the possibility of developing their national culture.

Article 50.

1) In the Hungarian People's Republic women enjoy equal rights with men. 642* 562

2) The equal rights of women are implemented by the safeguarding of their working conditions on a par with those of men, maternity leave with pay in the event of pregnancy, increased legal protection of mother and child, and a system of maternity and child welfare institutions.

Article 51.

The Hungarian People's Republic protects the institution of marriage and the family. 642* 594

Article 52.

The Hungarian People's Republic devotes special care to the education and development of the young and accords them special protection. 642* 855

Article 53.

The Hungarian People's Republic effectively supports all scientific work serving the cause of the working people, as well as the arts which depict the life and struggle of the people and proclaim the victory of the people. It gives every support to the emergence of intellectual workers faithful to the people. 642* 815 517

Article 54.

1) The Hungarian People's Republic safeguards the liberty of conscience of all citizens and the freedom of religious worship. 642* 641

2) In order to ensure the liberty of conscience, the Hungarian People's Republic separates the Church from the State. 642* 659